

KANSAS A MENDICANT,

The New York Mail and Express onto our game,' or thinks it is. It tkens this commonwealth to the prosional beggar who generally has a fatter bank account than the one of Whom he solicits sympathy and alms. It says that Kansas has for two or three years been telling a pathetic story of Populism and grasshoppers, of Frouth, chinch-bugs and the lumpylaw, holding up to the world as proof of the distressing complaints, Mrs. Lease, Jerry Simpson, and Whiskers Peffer; that, in short, we have boasted pur calamity. But the esteemed contemporary has stumbled on to a late report of our state bank examiner, which ows that the Kansas pocket-book is fat: that the banks hold more in depos-Its than they have out on loan, and that the reserve fund is more than bouble the amount required by law. We are glad that the Mail and Express fildn't hunt up our national bank showing, as it would certainly have put us down as a big lot of hypocrites. That paper concludes its criticism with the assertion that "in view of this extraordinary showing, the old familiar hardluck story from Kansas will have to be retired. It is played out. Kansas, with her admirable financial condition and the magnificent crops now in the of the richest and most prosperous states in the Union. It is high time for her to cease her tale of woe, brace up and acknowledge that life is worth liv-

There are two sides to this showing,

It is probably a fact that Kansas is at present one of the most prosperous states in the Union, having been but little disturbed by the slump in stocks and not affected by strikes nor died of a time of local booms, eastern capitalists loaded our people down with loaned money, at a high rate of interest, commissions added. The hard times and, what with the shrinkage of realty years. values and falling prices, we were squeezed as no other people. And but for the character of her people and her or that of his agent. A very small per for a new division? cent of Kansas' honest debts have been repudiated. Experience, however, forced upon us a conning of the lesson that the approved method choking a dog to the death with butter is not necessarily the most effective or economi-

SUGAR TRUST FLOORED.

The Sugar Trust schedule ran against a snag in the house. The Sugar Trust may protest all they please that they had nothing to do with that schedule, but the public will not be convinced. The advantage to the members of the trust were too apparent. Public sentiment is not any too friendly to trusts these days, and when the senate proposes to make the tariff schedule on sugar substantially what the trust ought to be asked on the ground of together instead. reasonable protection, it is time to call a halt. The house conferces have been standing like a stone wall against that of war we would turn loose only our launsweetened schedule. Speaker Reed has stood like two stone walls and a buttress. When the bill shall have been finally agreed upon it will be found that the senate has receded.

CAPITAL AND LABOR

These are times which call for the tenship. Every man should be a patriot. The times are out of joint, and the patience of the statesman, combined with the faith of the citizen, are needed just now. A Republican congress is endeavoring to mend matters, but not having a clear majority in both houses, every effort is shortened by enforced compromise. A great strike is is effective. A suit of it should be worn in progress, and the grievances of the by every fool who handles an unloaded miners, which are real, are attracting gun. public sympathy. The banks of the country are carrying unprecedented surpluses, with money scarce among the people. There is a cry against cor- ought to be able to see the footprints of porate rule and a protest against the advantages held by avaricious trusts The antagonism between capital and labor is being defined by Debism and intensified by Bryanism. The opportunity for the Republican party to enforce its principles to the ends of peace and prosperity were never equalled. This work is not one possible for the demagogue, but for the statesman. There is a true rule of measurement between capital and labor, and that rule should be defined and enforced. There rusts, and they should be crushed. The ing the president.

Republican party was originally the poor man's party. Now is the time for t to fall back upon original principles. In this great, growing and half-developed country of freemen there should be no conflict between labor and capital. With just laws, rightly enforced, there can be none, or only that which grows out of natural and healthful competition. The miner should have his share, and so should every other producer, whether of mine, field or factory. Companies and corporations are a necessity, as much so for the poor man as for the rich. As long as a corporations is not armed with any undue advantage and is not permitted to abuse its privileges, they are not a burthen, but a blessing. But for them must be prescribed legal limitations, to which work the Republican party should address its wisest and best efforts, to the end of equal chances for one and all.

STRAINED BELATIONS.

Each day brings its new complica tions between this government and Spain, until open rupture is imminent. If congress passes the joint resolution reported by the senate committee on foreign relations in the matter of the Competitor case, Spain will hear something drop. The resolution will empower the president to take any measured that in his judgment may be necessary to obtain the release from the Spanish government of two American citizens who were a part of the crew of the hands of the harvesters, is really one schooner Competitor, which was also seized on trumped-up charges. There has been a good deal of ink wasted over this Competitor case. The Spanish authorities have pursued the same dilatory tactics as in other cases where American interests were at stake. A and conclusion, of the New York paper. court martial sentenced these American citizens to death, but the proceedings were afterwards annulled at Madrid. Ten months have since elapsed, and those persons have not yet been brought to trial. No civilized governthe inanition of closed factories and the ment can afford to permit its citizens like. Yet the truth is, that in the full to be treated in this way. The usual tide of a national prosperity, and at methods of diplomacy are too slow for a case of this kind. Give President McKinley the power to demand justice for these prisoners and he will get it, or Spain will have more trouble in a very caught us with these assumed burdens short time than it has had for several

DEBS' DREAM.

No socialistic dream of governmen many superiorities of soil and climate has ever succeeded since the time, and we would have been crushed. We because of the multiplying multitudes, squealed. Of course we did. Realiz- patriarchal or family rule ceased. Clans ing that we were more the victims of and tribes succeeded only to fail for the a confidence game than because of any like reason. There is nothing small lack of eye-teeth, we howled, in the end about the plan of Eugene V. Debe to es turning the tables on the mortgage tablish a socialistic commonwealth in fiend his agents and lawvers. Had the this land. All that is necessary, he eastern money man, in recognizing the says, is to colonize the young state of cituation, said to the Kansas men, Washington, get control of its legisla-"Here, these national exigencies and ture and completely reorganize society conditions were all unexpected by us on the Communistic basis. The people both, and I will renew your notes and of Washington being thus forewarned, cut the interest in two and credit the it would seem that they would take commissions you paid my agent as so some very decided steps to prevent a much paid on the note," nearly every dominancy which looks to the dividing creditor would have gotten his money up of their property to be held in comback with fair interest. But they did mon by hordes of adventurers and innot. They set up a howl against Kan- terlopers, who propose to gain posses-It was a universal one all over sion by capturing the legislature and and Express joined. The result was reprisal. The people of that state, at that Kansas resolved to take care of the very first showing of such an in-"number one" and not of the other fel- vasion, should enact laws that would be low, at least until she felt equal to her found insurmountable. But even if the but half imposed obligations. In the scheme should succeed, in accordance mean time the eastern loaner who with the hopes of its enthusiastic proforeclosed got all he was entitled to, jector, how long would it be before the The security was at his own valuation, members of the commune would clamor

Klondyke and it begins with a K. The story that Mark Twain was dead in London was an exaggeration. Twain says

There is lots of gold in Alaska. Starva tion is also scatteed around loose in bigger

chunks than nuggets. A Chicago man has been living for months

wholly on beer. A large number of fellows are dying wholly on whisky. Barney Barnato, worth \$15,000,000, first

000,000. Somebody tie Mark Hanna's hands, Buffalo Jones, it will be remembered, went to Alaska to drive a lot of reindeer and

committed suicide; then Creed, worth \$10,-

wants and a good deal more than musk-ox. He may herd several gold mines From the way Japan is making faces at

us, it is plain that she thinks that in case dry force on her.

Those little sprinkles on our corn are something like an executioner rubbing the blade over the victim's neck to let him know how sharp the thing is.

Amelia Rives is leaving no stone unturned to get the postmaster general against her purest statesmanship, and the best citi- new story. She now says she got the idea for it from the Kreutzer Sonata. Chief Justice Doster says that socialism

> ble remark. All this world lacks is age. It will be all right when it grows up. There seems to be no doubt that the bullet-proof coat invented by a Chicago man

will work itself out. This is a very sensi

A Texas murderer has expressed the wish to have a brass band at his funeral and will be accommodated. The Salvation army

Its influences in this. That eastern paper which has set out to prove that there is no such thing as hydroday and let a dog, frothing at the mouth chase him a few blocks.

daily paper in Mexico, was, upon the publication of an editorial discussing public affairs, sent for by Diaz who said: "You publish the news and I'll run the govern ment. Mr. Hudson is a Kansan and will soon get the central committee together at is no room for illegal combines and Mexico City and pass resolutions condemn-

Stories of an Inland State.

For three days now Madge and Joey had raveled on foot along together. All char-acters reveal beauties when closely studied, and Joey began to see faintly the strength of Madge's mind. It was she who de-termined the route they should take; she who announced the hour of parting in the morning and the hour of test at night; she who superintended every detail of his

her movements that was almost masculine, and which disconcerted Joey and filled him

ing hindered the vent of sincerity in his declarations of love to her, and he believed she must have felt the presence of the damper, but now when he tried to open the draughts of his passionate nature she would have none of it, but met him with a practicability which benumbed and per-plexed him.

"Are you happy, Madge?" he had sak-

"But not demonstrative?"
"No. Does the wound still hurt you?"
"It is now without pain. Madge, if
ou will consent. I would like to talk to

"You should not talk about love. Don" own now?" "I don't care for the towns, Madge. Do

you love me?"

"How much?" Bushel measurement or pounds?

"Madge! You are frivolous!"
"Then you consider love a serious thing."
"A very serious thing."
"I am glad to hear that. Will you re turn at once to your home as soon as the

"Pshaw Madge! That should not con-ern me now. Don't you know what ro-mance !!?"

"Romance? Why certainly Joey." "Well what is it?"

"I fear it is mostly foolis foolish dreams, Joey." "And never a reality.

"It is unfair of you to esk." "I know Madge, Your long journey in th

ight and the return-that was romance "Medicine—fever medicine—only that."
"You are so dreadfully practical, Madge,"

But something in her black eyes to him of the repressions of impulse, and it fired him with the desire to reveal it, as a child will take delight in revealing an arti-cie hidden by his fellow, and he stopped nd took her hand and said:

"You are hiding your feelings Madge, "On the contrary I must hide every-

alone of all things in the world has not grown old. Every lover is Adam, every sweetheart Eve. Eden is exclusion. The world contains two, now as primevally, and

"Foolish, Madge," he said miffed that the did not appreciate his artificial exposi-"Dreadfully foolish! Joey have I hurt

She turned her eyes to his quickly and

"I love you, Joey, so much." The sudden passion in her voice brought him to her side, but she held him away. "Madge," he cried. "You are the dear-

He remembered having said something of it came insistently to him now. began speaking now, but gradually loosen-ed his grasp and let it fall, as she con-

"As I have read and listened Joey, have come to know that men have secrets which their sex preserves and women sec rets which their sex preserves. Both hol now reveal to you, if you wish.

"All women, Joey, have the inclination

"You think that, Madge?"

"And that is not your secret?" he sale

"That is not my secret." she said with "Women are putty in the hands madle blind reckless and unheeding into and soul and wish to man, to nestle down out the wish to deny anything, without the confiding love which in submitting, all but

"You think that Madge," he said no more

"I know it. That is our part in lo "And that is your secret," he aske "No," she answered. "I told you me women denied this. I should have said most of them. Some of them deny throw away her femininity-and be miser

"Why do they throw it away?" For the first time he began to see the

urpose of her long serious speech "You said a moment ago that love was I think it is pride of possession, with wo

"Do all women feel this?" "The woman who loves, feels it. The thinks she loves. The true woman feels submission, sleeps secure in it, and if it is never abused, is happy. But in her na

"And that Madge?" Do you understand?"

"And many men who have crossed it and will. Submission is submission. Trust cre ates itself and is self-destructive. Ever woman, Joey, has an innate dignity, a heavenly-born, womanly, divine dignity. She does not preserve it. She blindly trusts man to revere it, but if he does not-

"I see it now," he said.

er and said seriously: sometimes forget them. We should not forget them. But believe me, I feel the pledge myself to drop frivolity and feel a

"You are very good," she said with a guarded smile, so guarded that as he wen' on in silence he wondered if distrust were and not the old miners, who have made the his sold strike. There is something in-

finitely ironical in the way in which old

Jackson Hole.

Jackson Hole, Wyo., July 10, 1897. To the Editor of the Eagle.

Almost every one agrees that, no matte

what one's avocation, to pass a portion the time "far from the world's ignoble strife" is good for the soul. For weeks I have looked forward to this trip "off the earth" and had pictured to myself one thousand times the scenes and people. I had almost counted the hours to the time when we'd climb mountains, shoot elk, ride bronchos, feast on fresh trout and black coffee and thus forget for awhile the tardy marks, blotted copy-books and thumb-worn

ers to the Eagle from the airy altitudes of

lity to introduce the usual summer romance or paint with Hall Caine's "bucket of blood" some incident of curdling sensation. There isn't even a mule episode with which annals of Jackson Hole where every one

You will, perhaps, recollect that Jackson Hole, Wyoming, won quite a little notoriety about two years ago on account of Indian troubles caused by a conflict between the Indian treaty of '68, allowing them the right to hunt on any public domain so long as peace remained on the border, and the Wyoming, restricting hunting to food pur such persons as obtained the right by icense prescribed by statutes. After some mishing between the Indians, who were nd to hunt here and the residents, who were bound they shouldn', Governor Richards sent the militia to protect the white people. The trouble was settled by a decision of the United States supreme court by which the treaty with the Indians was

abrogated.

Jackson Hole received its euphonious appellation from the incident of its affording a safe and pitcuresque retreat to which an aesthetically inclined but cautious horaethief hied himself and his stolen plunder. This courageous but carnal-minded Jackson was captured and executed here, dying game. me persons, lately, utterly ignoring the to change its name to something more sen timental but less graphic. Well, as Shapes-peare remarked, a long time ago. "What's

Jackson Hole lies almost on the great co tinental divide in the northwest part of Wyoming, just south of the National Park. Hole is a great sheltered, level valley ped ranges of our western mountains. with towering ranges around us that keep on their white caps the entire year.

I want to tell you about the scenery here, or at least to afford you pent-up dwellers in the dusty (?) town the luxury of knowstrewn here in this quiet vale.

dians and by them to the mountains, which are a wall of mighty peaks, abruptly ser-rated and gorged, turreted and domed, capwhich the timber-line lies in artistically fantastic decorations. Sometimes a cool, gray cloud hangs midway down the slope and we think of Goldsmith's simile in "The Deserted Village" or the shadows on their stern features speak to us in accents that a Byron might interpret, but which to our in the valley among the sage brush, scratch ing away with our puny strength a shallow place in which to find rest. We are barely saved from the gloom of the pessimist by another rub of the Wonderful Lamp when back comes the sunlight with such a fairylike touch that we once more become or thdoz believers in Arabian Nights and honestly wonder who can be so near with Alladin's Lamp. What marvels of chang-ing beauty! They bring to us reminisences of bullables sums to the sleepy crass. I the cash. then of winter storms tearing them from

two magnificent mountain passes and a good wagon road down from the National

their resting places.

As we are one hundred and twenty-five miles away from the railroad and as the snow makes the entrances impassable, the settlers, of which there are about one hun dred and fifty, must haul in their whole winter supplies early in the fall. There is a postoffice but no store here, though said to keep a "few articles for accommo-dation;" but I found this to be, as Ingalis says, an iridescent dream, for in trying to quite a deal of coaxing before I succeeded

n getting two cans at 25 cents each. The houses here are picturesque and com fortable rather than elegant, consisting of having dirt roofs which makes them cool The walls inside are decorated with guns antelope heads, frying pans, tinware, buckskin coats, slabs of bacon and carpenters tools; outside are nailed elk hides with a sprinkling of harness, saddles, ropes and

One of the most important features of this place, to the settlers, is the abundance of game as it supplies the main part of their "grub-stake." Almost any morning quite early antelope pass close to our "shack"—sometimes three or four, at other times such a band as would raise the sport-

ing blood of Drs. Shuitz and Matthews to a frenzy. This is the winter feeding ground for the elk. In the summer most of this game

retire to the National Park, where it is pro-Last winter was a hard one on the elk, of

because the snow does not fall so deep as ment: "Now, not next week, but now is further north. About 10 per cent of these your opportunity." They are pushing gaso-55.000 head are old stock and the rest calves Just now we are excited over a gamecase

as a test. It is as follows: One of the eaten by these hungry animals, concluded, in them, so he built a large corral, into which he drove about seventy-five young and old elk and fed them hay the greater to ship them to eastern parties, by which up, advertised so many days and then sold and damages taken from the proceeds of sale. The contention in the present case wild animals the same as tame ones tres passing on his property and by sale or other wise obtain pay for damages done. There is no provision made by the legislature as to damage done by wild animals.

county attorney says a man has a right to protect his property from depredations of wild or other animals and may use the necessary means for doing so, such as tak-ing up, driving off or killing those that ight become dangerous. These seventy-

Outlines of Oklahoma.

The Wighlia mountains are not in it with Howard Webb at Perry got six months is

Mrs. Jenkins of Newkirk will take up he

Fred F. Mercer of Custer county from a

els to the scre. Shawnee Blade: The Tecumseh Herald

associates its marriage notices with Cham-beriain's colic remedies." There is little doubt that Governor Barnes Dress Goods

been captured after breaking jail, is to be pitied. He is the victim of a drug.

Deputy Sheriff Younger and Sheriff At in at Perry have had their difficulties settled. Younger getting \$10 judgment from

Chief Engineer Hinkley of the Frisco will make his report on the Sapulpa exten-sion to the Frisco officials in St. Louis this

nough men in that county alone to while every Indian in the Territory, and the In- Today dians know it. The best advertisement ever put out in Oklahoma was Cook's wind-mill power for his paper. The little item is traveling all

over the world. The Arapahoe Bee is about the only pape in the territory which is really tickled over the way Tom Reed slams into Oklahoma for beating Flynn.

has an opinion ready denying the Territorial board of equilisation the right to raise Thursday's Sale the valuation of the counties. It is now proposed to erect a monument to

ty, Kansas. But monuments are never rected in the west. It is all talk. The Pery Enterprise calls the Wichita

terprise once had a gold mine itself and it knows what it is talking about. James Martin, an Osage Indian, was con victed for the fourth time of selling whisky to the Indians the other day at Perry and

The postmaster of Cross wants to be let out. He says a Populist has no business holding office under a Republican adminis-tration. That it what Pat Nagle thinks,

Coleman and Mills, the government alto discontinue their work in the Wichita reservation, it is now ascertained are the owners of several large herds of cattle, which are grazing in the reservation. Enid Wave: Coal Oil Inspector Ewing

colled in last night to attend to official busi and John Buckles he tested the oil in the can figure it took four quart bottles of

Kingfisher Free Press: A one-eyed farfull. He sought rest in the back yard of a saloon. He first got sick and threw up his last week's meals. Then he went to sleep. One of the proprietors of the saloon happened out in the back yard and noted his condition. The space around the sleep-er was cleaned up and it was discovered that he had dropped his pocketbook on the ground but he had his money (about \$14,000) in his hand. The bar keeper took the in his hand. The bar keeper took the money and the pocketbook and saw that the sieeper was as comfortable as possible. He thought he would wake up soon and come in and ask for his money. In the course of an hour or more the sleeper awak-ened and slipped out the back way. The came into his place full-but he wants return the money to its owner. So the one-eyed gentleman has only to put in appearance, prove his identity and receive

Southern Kansas Business Men Messrs Purding and Reed have opened up a new restaurant at Caldwell

A. Rockett of Milan, grocer, cream on Saturdays and Sundays. The Economy store of Salina, furniture, is closing out its stock and will leave Sa-

Brady Bros. & Co., of Winfield say that their sales in five months have emounted to \$50,000. Parry, Reynolds & Co., of Arkansas City

are , with many other shoe dealers, adver tising discounts. Sparr & Dean, shoes, at Wellington, have

the next sixty days. Glasier & Co., general merchandise at

vertising. They quote prices. For this week Luce, Hoge & Co., dry goods, of Wellington, are holding a special sale in dimities and like goods. The Bauman Bakery Co., of Arkansa

engine to run an ice cream freezer. There is really need for a good synomyt been used so much that it lacks strength. Medicine Lodge has a second-hand man who is selling goods by quoting prices on them, a rare thing among second-hand

dealers. An Abilene hotel publishes its menu for Sunday dinner in Saturday evening papers. The idea is old and discarded, but it is

good one. A photographer at Caldwell is guilty of "Boy wanted-To tell his sister, or some other fellow's sister that Armantrou takes the best photographs in the land."

The Chase Hardware Co., of Medicine feed on the settlers' hay stack and also Lodge are responsible for this strong senti-because the snow does not fall so deep as ment: "Now, not next week, but now is

> All the bicycle dealers are coming t quoted prices. There has been more in-discriminate cutting in bicycle prices than in any other article. Publicly quoted prices will put an end to this discrimination against the man who believes a regular advertised price is honest and pays it and finds another man next day who has got 30 per cent discount.

There are, of course, quiet seasons in al times" is not a phrase with a fixed and he would have made about \$3,000, he was positive meaning. Times are rarely so dul forbidden to let them go because the game that they cannot be brightened by the aplaw prohibits the capture of animals unless pilication of advertising. As a Janusville by permit of the game warden, except to (N's.) merchant puts it. "Do you supsupply parks, scological gardens or for solen pose the engineer who would not use more tific purposes and then by parmit. There steam to make the ascent in going up the is no law governing the taking of animals. Hooky mountains than he would use on a for domestication. The law governing level track would ever reach the sum-20127

L. A. Eby & Co., general merchandise a Medicine Lodge, say that business has im proved over last year; Allen & Shaw, books merchandise, says it is about the same as last year. Besides Eby & Co., Robert Mounsey, second-hand goods, the Chase Hardware Co., W. S. Pinney, saddler, J. merchandise, C. Q. Chandler, banker, Badg-er Lumber Co., W. G. Bristow, hotel; L. T. nett & Co., miliners; Houchin & Palmer real estate; Cook & Lindley, real estate great deal better than last year, in fact,

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Along the Kansas Nile.

BARRER M Se Head Master.

Dramatic Company. The drug stores at Emporia object to pay

by an assurance company. This is the new size. The local board of education is not practice in Kansas and it is now safe to be inclined to violate the contract, but some

lature spent its whole session getting & Co., have the contract. through this law. Kansas people should stay away from the Alaskan gold fields. There is more money in Kansas wheat fields than there is in all

Colorado's mineral. George Findiay, whose race for revenue collector was newspaper-heavy, will be taken care of by being given some place in

ges into the state house and now every one is smoking them. A man who will smoke a stogle has to have a heart. But if he keeps it up, he won't have it long. One reason that Jerry Simpson dresses thinks he goes ranged and tastered and

torn enough at home to deserve a little de-cent appearel when he gets to Washington. After the election, the national central committee sent each editor a circular let-ter thanking him for his efficient work, which was Wednesday, she called her fa Now the editors who are after postoffices to the bedriffe and said to him: "I are sending these circular letters with their you know when we were in Chanute

Assistant Attorney General Snelling has the store windows. decided that the anti-Republicans of Nemick, a doll with blue eyes and curty hair, make county can not nominate a ticket and Oh, it was so handsome! I have saved my call it the Free Silver Repub-Popouration maney all states, and I've got 70 cents. licket. He tells them they must all buil Now, paps, won't you put \$ different conventions and nominute the it, and give me that pretty doll?

same ticket. The indications are that a large number of the cities of Kansus will attempt to break the contracts, they have with the book companies for the supply of exhect books for periods ranging from two to five years. Within the past week the attorney that the board of education of a city of the

of the first duties likely to stack the validi-Through western Kansas in a covered ty of its contract is Topeka. The board of agon the other day passed 'The Boston education made a five-year contract for ce tain books, and the contract has four years yet to run. Now it happens that the state text book commission adopted about ing a fine just like a common joint. The state text books commission adopted about mayor has told them to put up or shut up. half the books that Topeka is using under mayor has told them to put up or shut up.

Emporia has joined the license liquor towns, with scores of others who were shocked at Wichita eighteen months ago.

Mike Sutton will get his bond filled out as good as those adopted by the commitof the patrons of the schools are Seginning A legi- ings to enjoin the enforcement of it. Crane that he did not cure voluntarily to cannel ethics, but that if any legal steps were taken he would willingly compromise by agreeing to cancel the contract at the exready run one year. Chanute Tribune: Last fall Mr. A.

Alford and his little daughter, Thena, then about 7 years old, and hving on a farm in Big Creek township, in this county, were in Chanute. large flaxen haired dolls that were on exhi took a great fancy to it. for the handsome doll to hereelf, and saved winter months. taken sick, and continued to grow worse to to put in my arms when I'm in my colfin. Wen't you pape?" The poor, broken hearted father and mether could say nothing, but their tears rained fown over little

first or second-class has no right to make . When you think of a whole lot of men contracts for a longer period than a year. Sying around to night abirts, heaven doesn't